

Special Livestream Service

St Michael's Anglican Cathedral, Wollongong

9am, Sunday 29th March 2020 A.D.

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Welcome

Canon Sandy Grant

Hymn: *To God be the glory!*

1. To God be the glory! Great things he has done!
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son;
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Chorus:

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son;
And give Him the glory – great things He has done.

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!
To every believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.
3. Great things He has taught us; great things He has done;
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son:
But purer and higher and greater will be
Our wonder, our gladness, when Jesus we see!

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Confession of Sins (together)

**Heavenly Father,
you have loved us with an everlasting love,
but we have often gone our own way,
and rejected your will for our lives.
We are sorry for our sins
and turn away from them.
For the sake of your Son who died for us,
forgive us, cleanse us, and change us.**

**By your Holy Spirit, enable us to live for you,
and to please you in every way,
for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Assurance of Forgiveness

Collect: 5th Sunday in Lent

Kids Spot: *The Five Fingers of Prayer*

- Thumb = Nearest
- Pointer = Bible Teachers
- Middle = Leaders
- Ring = The Weak
- Pinkie = Yourself

Kids Song: *My God is so BIG*

My God is so big,
So strong and so mighty;
There's nothing my God cannot do.
(That's True!) **Repeat x 2**

The mountains are His,
The valleys are His,
The stars are His handiwork too.

My God is so BIG!
So strong and so mighty,
There's nothing my God cannot do!

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Prayers

Stacey Chapman

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
Your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven
Give us today our daily bread,
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.**

Bible Reading - Luke 13:1-17

Please look up the reading in your paper or electronic Bible at home!

Sermon: 'Jesus Is ... Calling Us' - Luke 13:1-17

For your notes...

Intro: Blind, pitiless indifference?

1. Jesus Is ... Calling Us In P_____

2. Jesus is ... Calling Us Not to B_____

3. Jesus is ... Calling us to H_____

4. Jesus is ... Calling us to H_____

5. Jesus is ... Calling us to R_____

Affirmation of Faith: Colossians 1:15-20 (abbreviated)

**Christ is the image of the invisible God,
the firstborn over all creation.
For in him all things were created,
things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible:
all things have been created through him and for him.
He is before all things,
and in him all things hold together.
He is the head of the body, the church.**

**He is the beginning, and the firstborn from the dead,
so that in everything he might have the supremacy.
For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him,
and through him to reconcile to himself all things,
whether things on earth or things in heaven,
by making peace through his blood shed on the cross. Amen.**

Song: Live for the Kingdom

1. Hear the good news, repent and believe:
Follow the Saviour and everything leave,
Taking the yoke that's easy and light,
Dressed for the battle, equipped for the fight,
Learn from the Master to sacrifice all,
Gladly obeying his call.

Chorus:

Now is the moment, the day of the salvation.
This is the hour to be serving the King,
Bearing the gospel, go to the nations,
Now is the time for our tribute to bring -
And live for the kingdom,
And give God the glory and honour and praise;
Live for the kingdom, all of our days.

2. Love one another, care for the lost,
Learn to live simply and carry your cross.
Jesus is near, so stand and be strong.
Lift up your hearts in the victory song.
When you're mistreated, be certain to bless,
Seeking his righteousness.

3. Learn to pray daily - Your kingdom come
And may your will on this earth soon be done
Forgive our sins as we forgive
Strengthen us while in these bodies we live
So we might work for that glorious day
When sin and death pass away

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Final Prayer: Romans 15:5-6

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